Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

<u>Listing of Claims:</u>

- 1 (currently amended). An electronic document viewer system for personalized presentation to a user of a plurality of electronic documents input from a source, said system comprising:
- a concept recognizer component configured for recognizing one or more (a) concepts, themes, sub-concepts and/or sub-themes associated with content of said documents;
- a user preferences knowledge base comprising preferences information (b) personal to said user:
- a prioritization analyser component configured for dynamic ordering of said (c) recognized concepts, themes, sub-concept and/or sub-themes, with said documents associated therewith, according to priorities of said user determined from said preferences information, wherein said preferences information includes dynamic information learned from prior action(s) of said user; and,
- a viewer component configured for: (i) presenting on an electronic display a (d) first hierarchical level of multiple levels of prioritized concept identifiers interlinked according to a hierarchical structure based on said ordering, wherein each said concept identifier represents said documents associated therewith and one said recognized concept, theme, sub-concept and/or subtheme, ; and, (ii) for presenting on said electronic display, in turn, one or more, in turn, next lower hierarchical levels of said hierarchical structure of prioritized concept identifiers upon selection thereof by said user from one said concept identifier presented on said electronic display.

- 2 (previously cancelled).
- 3 (previously cancelled).
- 4 (previously presented). A viewer system according to claim 1 comprising an input document processing component configured for outputting a static document map corresponding to one of said input electronic documents.
- 5 (original). A viewer system according to claim 4 wherein said concept recognizer component comprises a highlighter component configured for identifying key content of said input document on the basis of said document map.
- 6 (previously presented). A viewer system according to claim 5 wherein said viewer component displays on said electronic display a predetermined amount of said key content for a document corresponding to a concept identifier presented as a leaf node at the bottom of said hierarchical structure, when a cursor operated by said user is positioned in the area thereof.
- 7 (previously presented). A viewer system according to claim 6 comprising a concept learner component configured for creating said dynamic information new knowledge pertaining to said user on the basis of data sensed from the system's environment, for input to said user preferences knowledge base.
- 8 (currently amended). A method for personalizing and presenting to a user a plurality of electronic documents received from a source, said method comprising:
- recognizing one or more concepts, themes, sub-concepts and/or sub-themes (a) associated with content of said documents;
- dynamically ordering said recognized concepts, themes, sub-concept and/or (b) sub-themes, with said documents associated therewith, according to priorities of said user determined from preferences information of a user preferences knowledge base comprising preferences information personal to said user. whereby said preferences information includes dynamic information learned

from prior action(s) of said user; and,

- presenting on an electronic display: (i) a first hierarchical level of multiple levels (C) of prioritized concept identifiers interlinked according to a hierarchical structure based on said ordering, whereby each said concept identifier represents said documents associated therewith and one said recognized concept, theme, subconcept and/or sub-theme; and, (ii) in turn, next lower hierarchical levels of said hierarchical structure of prioritized concept identifiers upon selection thereof by said user from one said concept identifier presented on said electronic display.
- 9 (previously cancelled).
- 10 (previously cancelled).
- 11 (previously presented). A method according to claim 8 comprising processing said documents and determining a static document map corresponding to each said document.
- 12 (original). A method according to claim 11 whereby said concept recognizing step comprises identifying key content for each said document on the basis of said document maps.
- 13 (previously presented). A method according to claim 12 comprising displaying on said electronic display a predetermined amount of said key content for a document corresponding to a concept identifier presented as a leaf node at the bottom of said hierarchical structure, when a cursor is positioned in the area thereof.
- 14 (previously presented). A method according to claim 13 comprising creating said dynamic information new knewledge pertaining to said user on the basis of data sensed from the system's environment, for input to said user preferences knowledge base.
- 15 (currently amended). A viewer system according to claim 1 wherein said viewer

component is further configured for selectably presenting on said electronic display, upon said selection of one said concept identifier by said user, either or both of: (i) said next lower hierarchical level of said prioritized concept identifiers; and, (ii) particulars identifying said documents associated with said user-selected concept identifier.

16 (currently amended). A method according to claim 8 and further comprising selectably presenting on said electronic d isplay, upon said selection of one said concept identifier by said user, either or both of: (i) said next lower hierarchical level of said prioritized concept identifiers; and, (ii) particulars identifying said documents associated with said user-selected concept identifier.